Jonathan Sanders (No. #228785) 1 SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP 2475 Hanover Street Palo Alto, CA 94304 Telephone: (650) 251-5000 3 Facsimile: (650) 252-5002 4 Michael H. Torkin Nicholas Goldin 5 Kathrine A. McLendon Jamie J. Fell 6 SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP 7 425 Lexington Avenue New York, NY 10017 8 Telephone: (212) 455-2000 Facsimile: (212) 455-2502 9 Counsel for the Board of Each of PG&E Corporation and 10 Pacific Gas and Electric Company and for Certain Current and Former Independent Directors 11 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 12 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION 13 14 Bankruptcy Case No. 19-30088 (DM) 15 In re: Chapter 11 16 PG&E CORPORATION, (Lead Case) 17 - and -(Jointly Administered) 18 PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC **CERTIFICATE OF NO OBJECTION** 19 COMPANY, REGARDING FOURTH MONTHLY FEE STATEMENT OF SIMPSON THACHER & 20 Debtors. BARTLETT LLP FOR ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION AND 21 ☐ Affects PG&E Corporation REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2019 THROUGH ☐ Affects Pacific Gas and Electric Company 22 **JULY 31, 2019 ☒** Affects both Debtors 23 Re: Docket No. 4032 * All papers shall be filed in the Lead Case No. 24 19-30088 (DM). **Objection Deadline:** October 21, 2019 4:00 pm (Pacific Time) 25 26 27

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On September 30, 2019, Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP ("Simpson Thacher"), counsel for (i) the Board of Directors (the "Board") of each of PG&E Corporation and Pacific Gas and Electric Company (the "**Debtors**"), as the Board may be constituted from time to time, and for the members of the Board from time to time in their capacities as members of the Board, and (ii) certain current and former independent directors in their individual capacities who serve or served as independent directors prior to and/or as of the Petition Date (as defined below) (each an "Independent Director" and collectively, the "Independent Directors"), filed its Fourth Monthly Fee Statement of Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for the Period July 1, 2019 through July 31, 2019, pursuant to the Order Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 331 and 105(a) and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2016 for Authority to Establish Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals, dated February 27, 2019 [Docket No. 701] (the "Interim Procedures Order").

The Fourth Monthly Fee Statement was served as described in the Certificate of Service of Andrew G. Vignali [Docket No. 4090]. The deadline to file responses or oppositions to the Fourth Monthly Fee Statement was October 21, 2019 at 4:00 pm (PT). On October 21, an objection was filed by the Public Employees Retirement Association of New Mexico objecting to a portion of Simpson Thacher's fees totaling \$28,741 [Docket No. 4351] (the "PERA **Objection**"). No other oppositions or responses have been filed with the Court or received by Simpson Thacher. Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, the Debtors are authorized to pay Simpson Thacher eighty percent (80%) of the remaining fees that are not subject to an objection and one hundred percent (100%) of the expenses requested in the Fourth Monthly Fee Statement upon the filing of this certification without the need for a further order of the Court. A summary of the fees and expenses sought by Simpson Thacher is annexed hereto as Exhibit A.

¹ Simpson Thacher does not agree with the assertions made in the PERA Objection and reserves all rights to dispute the PERA Objection, and any future objections made on similar grounds, either before or in connection with any hearing to consider the applicable interim fee applications.

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The undersigned hereby declares, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, under penalty of perjury, that:

- 1. I am a counsel at the law firm Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP, counsel to the Board and the Independent Directors.
- 2. I certify that I have reviewed or caused the review of the Court's docket in these chapter 11 cases and that Simpson Thacher has not received any response or opposition to the Fourth Monthly Fee Statement other than the PERA Objection.
 - 3. This declaration was executed in Palo Alto, California.

SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP

Dated: October 28, 2019 Palo Alto, California

/s/ Jonathan Sanders Jonathan Sanders (No. 228785)

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